

ORDER:

The motion is **GRANTED**.

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U.S. District Court
Middle District of TN

Alistair E. Newbern

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

Alistair E. Newbern
U.S. Magistrate Judge

ELLIOTT J. SCHUCHARDT,

Case No. 3:22-cv-01017

Plaintiff,

v.

District Judge Aleta A. Trauger
Magistrate Judge Alistair Newbern

BLOOMBERG, L.P. and ROY STROM,

Defendants.

**UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE
PLEADINGS BY MEANS OF THE CM / ECF SYSTEM**

The Plaintiff, Elliott J. Schuchardt, files this unopposed motion for an order authorizing the Plaintiff to file pleadings by means of the CM / ECF system. In support hereof, the Plaintiff states as follows:

Background

1. The Plaintiff is currently filing pleadings in this case by means of paper copies, sent means of the U.S. postal service from Knoxville, Tennessee.
2. Delivery typically takes two days (by means of priority mail), and entails the risk of additional days of delay.
3. Once the pleadings arrive at the court, there is additional delay in the mail room. Often it can take more than one day for a pleading to be placed on the docket.
4. The Pacer electronic filing system authorizes *pro se* litigants to file by means of the CM / ECF system on a case-by-case basis, provided that doing so is authorized by the Court.
5. The Plaintiff respectfully requests leave of Court to file pleadings in this case by means of the CM / ECF system.

6. Doing so has several advantages to the Court.
7. First, electronic filing will ensure that the Plaintiff's pleadings are received by the court and docketed on a timely basis, without delays due to the postal service.
8. Second, electronic filing provides for immediate service of pleadings to all parties, and will eliminate the need to serve documents by means of the post office.
9. Third, electronic filing will provide a better electronic image of the pleadings, because it will eliminate the need to scan documents before filing.
10. The Plaintiff is familiar with the Court's electronic filing system, and has filed documents by means of the CM / ECF system for many years. Judge Richardson has authorized the Plaintiff to use the system for filing documents in a separate case in this Court.
11. The Plaintiff has consulted with opposing counsel concerning this motion. Defendants consent to this motion.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, the Plaintiff, Elliott J. Schuchardt, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court enter an order authorizing the Plaintiff to file documents in this case by means of the Court's CM / ECF system.

Respectfully submitted,

By: 
Elliott J. Schuchardt

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Elliott Schuchardt, hereby certify that I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion for Leave to File Pleadings by Means of the CM / ECF System on the following persons on this 11th day of September 2023 by means of first class mail, postage prepaid:

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elliott Schuchardt", written over a horizontal line.

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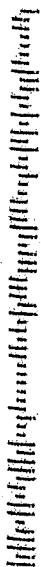
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Re: Schuchardt v. Bloomberg, Case No. 3:22-cv-01017
U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee

Dear Sir / Madam:

Enclosed, for filing with the Court, is an original copy of the following document:

Unopposed Motion for Leave to File Pleadings by Means of the CM / ECF
System

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at the above phone number or e-mail.

Very truly yours,



Elliott J. Schuchardt